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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

NEMORI, Ryoichi, *et al.*

Docket No: Q63526

Appln. No.: 09/786,883

Group Art Unit: 1651

Confirmation No.: 6523

Examiner: Ralph J. Gitomer

Filed: March 9, 2001

For: METHOD OF DETECTING THIOL-CONTAINING COMPOUND

STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Please review and enter the following remarks summarizing the interview conducted on May 11, 2004:

REMARKS

An Examiner's Interview Summary Record (PTO-413) was attached with the Notice of allowance dated May 13, 2004.

During the interview, the following was discussed:

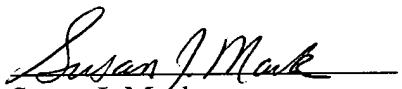
1. Brief description of exhibits or demonstration: none.
2. Identification of claims discussed: 1-8 and 13-17.
3. Identification of art discussed: none.
4. Identification of principal proposed amendments: To cancel claims 1-8 and 13-17.
5. Brief Identification of principal arguments: none.

6. Indication of other pertinent matters discussed: Examiner advised that claims would be cancelled by Examiner's amendment.

7. Results of Interview: Applicants authorized cancellation of claims 1-8 and 13-17, resulting in the remaining claims being allowed.

It is believed that no petition or fee is required. However, if the USPTO deems otherwise, Applicant hereby petitions for any extension of time which may be required to maintain the pendency of this case, and any required fee, except for the Issue Fee, for such extension is to be charged to Deposit Account No. 19-4880.

Respectfully submitted,



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